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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS **TYLER DIVISION**

ADVANCEME, INC.	§	
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Plaintiff,	§	
	§	
v.	§	
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RAPIDPAY LLC, BUSINESS CAPITAL	§	CIVIL ACTION NO. 6:05-cv-424-LED-JDL
CORPORATION, FIRST FUNDS LLC,	§	
MERCHANT MONEY TREE, INC.,	§	
REACH FINANCIAL, LLC and FAST	§	
TRANSACT, INC. d/b/a SIMPLE CASH	§	
	§	
Defendants.	§	

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE OF ADDITIONAL COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANTS FIRST FUNDS, LLC, MERCHANT MONEY TREE, INC., AND REACH FINANCIAL, LLC

Defendants First Funds, LLC, Merchant Money Tree, Inc., and Reach Financial, LLC file this Notice of Appearance of Additional Counsel, and hereby notify the Court that Brian K. Buss, of the law firm Vinson & Elkins LLP, 2801 Via Fortuna, Suite 100, Austin, Texas 78746, is appearing as additional counsel for First Funds, LLC, Merchant Money Tree, Inc., and Reach Financial, LLC in the above-referenced matter. All pleadings, discovery, correspondence and other material should be served upon counsel at the address referenced above.

Respectfully submitted

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that all counsel of record who have consented to electronic service are being served a copy of this document via the Court's CM/ECF system per Local Rule CV-5(a)(3) on this the 9th day of January, 2007. Any other counsel of record will be served by first class mail on this same date.

/s/ Brian K. Buss Brian K. Buss